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DATE: AUGUST 3, 2006

TO: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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ACTION: RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT ON THE JOBS PROGRAM

RECOMMENDATION

Receive and File Report on the Expo Jobs Program from the Design-Build Contractor.

SUMMARY

At the July Board meeting, Director Perry asked that the contractor appear before the Authority Board to discuss the Expo Jobs Program and the Chair asked that this item be agendaized at the next meeting. The contractor will present an overview of the Jobs Program, which is currently being developed. The Jobs Program will be brought before the Board for approval at a subsequent meeting.

DISCUSSION

The contractor is required to develop a Jobs Program to meet local hiring goals for the Exposition Light Rail Project. The contractor has been working with the Authority to develop this program, which will be brought to the Authority Board for approval. The Authority has hired the Solis Group to solicit input from elected officials, the unions and the contractor which will be used to develop the Jobs Program. The contractor will implement the Jobs Program approved by the Authority Board.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

None

NEXT STEPS

Staff will bring back a Jobs Program for Board approval at a subsequent Board meeting.

ATTACHMENT(S)

None